

"This ARGUS o'er the people's rights
Doth an eternal vigil keep;

No soothing strains of Maia's son
Can lull its hundred eyes to sleep."

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GOLDSBORO, N. C., SATURDAY EVENING, MARCH 20, 1909.

NO. 34

Corn Judging Day to be Held Here Tuesday, March 30.

Representatives From National Agricultural Department at Washington and the State Agricultural Department Will be Here.

By special invitation, Maj. W. A. Graham, Commissioner of Agriculture of this State, accompanied by an expert corn judge from the National Department of Agriculture at Washington, D. C.; Director C. B. Williams, of the State Experiment Station; Prof. C. R. Hudson, State agent for Dr. Kapp's demonstration work for the national government in the South; Mr. T. B. Parker, in charge of the demonstration work for the State Department, and others prominently associated with the work, will be in Goldsboro on Tuesday, March 30, and speak to the farmers on the different phases of corn breeding and corn growing and illustrate the best methods of selecting and testing seed corn.

Every farmer in Wayne county is cordially invited, urged and expected to attend this meeting—it is the farmers' meeting; it is a meeting held for their benefit; the best men the national and State governments have in the work are coming here to give the farmers in attendance the fullest possible information on the cultivation of the corn—from the selecting of the seed to the housing of the crop. Every farmer coming to this meeting is requested to bring 25 ears of his best seed corn—each 25 ears to be of some one variety, and same will be examined by the expert corn judge and passed upon, and its weak and strong points demonstrated. All corn will be returned to owners after examination.

The hour of the meeting will be 10 o'clock Tuesday morning, with an adjournment from 12 to 1 o'clock for lunch, which will be served free on the court house grounds by the citizens of Goldsboro.

Every farmer and every farmer's boy in the county should attend this meeting, and Goldsboro will welcome all, and the farmers of Wayne county owe it to themselves and to the distinguished gentlemen of the State and the nation who will be here to speak to them on that day to come to this meeting.

Boy Brigade.

The farmer boys between the ages of 12 and 17 years who have already signed up or who intend to enter the prize corn-growing contest in the county are invited and expected to be at this meeting.

The Boy Brigade will be a feature of the meeting. Mrs. W. R. Hollowell, of the Farmers' Wives Institute, and a corps of assistants of Goldsboro women will have charge of the serving the lunch—and this means that every one in attendance will have the best of attention at the dinner hour.

COURT CALENDAR.

- April Term, 1909.
- There will be a Superior Court begun and held for the county of Wayne at the Court House in Goldsboro, on the 5th day of April, 1909, when and where the following civil cases will be tried.
- Monday, April 12.**
- No. 12—D. B. English vs. A. C. L. R. R. Co.
- 22—M. E. Boyette vs. A. C. L. R. R. Co.
- 23—D. B. English vs. A. C. L. R. R. Co.
- 24—M. E. and H. L. Bizzell vs. W. M. Rose.
- 26—A. C. L. R. R. Co. vs. H. J. Pope.
- 30—R. J. Southernland et als, Admr., vs. E. J. Vann and wife.
- 32—J. A. Westbrook vs. A. C. L. R. R. Co.
- 37—City of Goldsboro vs. A. C. L. R. R. Co.
- 123—Maggie Scott vs. Henry Scott.
- Tuesday, April 13.**
- 39—Yelverton Bros. vs. A. C. L. R. R. Co.
- 46—L. M. Smith et als vs. Bell Lumber Co.
- 48—Chas. Wiggs and wife vs. Western Union Telegraph Co.
- 52—Turlington & Hayes vs. Bryant Pate.
- 53—J. R. Smith vs. L. F. and A. L. Warren.
- 57—J. T. Dortch, Admr., et als vs. Susie Wood et als.
- 58—Cassie Sherard vs. Bryant Kelly.
- 59—K. O. Hollingsworth and wife vs. Bell Lumber Co.
- Wednesday, April 14.**
- 65—D. B. English vs. A. C. L. R. R. Co.
- 66—T. D. Gurley vs. Indiana Hay Co. et als.
- 68—T. I. Newcomb vs. J. A. Scott.
- 69—Z. L. M. Jeffreys vs. A. C. L. R. R. Co.
- 71—Punch-I-Nello Bottling Co. vs. S. R. Rackley.
- 73—E. G. Gurley vs. J. H. Spell.
- 74—Charlie Davis vs. Golden Bell Mfg. Co.
- Thursday, April 15.**
- 79—James Darden vs. Hattie Darden.
- 80—W. B. and J. W. Floors vs. A. G. Bogus et als, Trustees.
- 81—Richard Simmons vs. Southern Ry. Co.
- 82—Carrie Bridgeford and husband vs. City of Goldsboro, et als.
- 86—R. E. Peacock vs. Wm. and H. Reid.
- 88—Joe Edwards vs. A. C. L. R. R. Co.
- 89—Davis Bros. vs. A. C. L. R. R. Co.
- Friday, April 16.**
- 90—Bell Lumber Co. vs. A. C. L. R. R. Co. et als.
- 91—W. B. Bowden vs. A. C. L. R. R. Co.
- 92—Max Harris vs. A. C. L. R. R. Co.
- 93—H. Johnson vs. John Sasser.
- 94—Johnson Bros. vs. W. J. Flowers.
- 95—E. J. Hester vs. A. C. L. R. R. Co.
- 100—M. Sherman vs. W. W. Williamson.
- Motion Docket.**
- No. 1—H. Well & Bros. vs. T. W. Uzzell.
- 2—Abram Uzzell vs. T. W. Uzzell.
- 15—E. J. Mertagh vs. J. I. Mozingo et als.
- 21—J. E. Smith vs. Gilbert Alphin.
- 25—Caille Joyner vs. Everett Joyner.
- 27—John T. and Mollie Kennedy vs. Fidelity Mutual Life Insurance Co.
- 28—E. T. Reeves vs. E. W. Southernland.
- 29—J. R. Short vs. A. C. L. R. R. Co.
- 33—J. R. Short vs. A. C. L. R. R. Co.
- 34—J. R. Short vs. A. C. L. R. R. Co.
- 35—R. E. Peacock vs. A. C. L. R. R. Co.
- 36—R. E. Peacock vs. A. C. L. R. R. Co.
- 40—J. E. Smith vs. Clayton Mfg. Co.
- 41—J. E. Person and wife vs. J. J. Roberts.
- 42—J. E. Person and wife vs. W. E. Ham.
- 43—J. T. Bordeaux, Admr., vs. A. C. L. R. R. Co.
- 45—Willie Fennell vs. A. C. L. R. R. Co.
- 50—B. A. Price et als vs. M. W. Uzzell et als.
- 51—B. A. Price et als vs. G. O. Griffin et als.
- 56—H. Well Bros. vs. J. Johnson et als.
- 61—J. F. Coley vs. Tom Artis.
- 64—H. Well & Bros. vs. J. H. Morris.
- 72—A. T. Uzzell vs. N. & S. Ry. Co.
- 76—M. R. Bennett et als vs. T. W. Sutton et als.
- 77—J. P. Ippock vs. Wade & Morrison.
- 78—E. McN. Carr vs. Edgerton & Johnson Lumber Co.
- 84—J. W. Isler & Co. vs. A. M. Calmes & Bro.
- 85—J. Atkinson vs. A. C. L. R. R. Co.
- 87—M. T. Breazeale et als vs. S. A. Wooten.
- 96—D. A. Loftin vs. Bettie Smith.
- 97—National Bank of Goldsboro et als vs. Higgins Drug Co.
- 98—John Taylor vs. J. D. Daniels et als.
- 99—A. G. Johnson vs. B. B. Joyce.
- 101—W. H. Griffin et als vs. Southern Ry. Co. et als.
- 102—Best & Thompson vs. J. Artis et als.
- 105—Mary E. Williamson and husband vs. S. J. Roberts.
- 110—S. H. Banks vs. The Phoenix Ins. Co.
- 112—R. A. Jordan vs. Citizens Bank.
- 115—G. W. Baker vs. A. C. L. R. R. Co.
- 120—E. J. Martin & Son Co. vs. Geo. Peele.
- Witnesses will not be allowed to charge until the day the case in which they are summoned is set for trial. If a case shall not be reached the day it is set for trial, it will retain its place among the cases, and be tried when reached.
- JAS. R. HATCHE, C. S. C.
This 17th day of March, 1909.

FAMOUS NORTH CAROLINIAN DIED IN NEW YORK SUNDAY

Dr. John J. Lawrence, Who Ranked High in Medical Affairs, Succumbed to Paralysis.

Dr. John J. Lawrence, a native of Edgecombe county, and a famous North Carolinian, died at his home in New York city Sunday.

The New York Herald of Tuesday gives the following account:

Dr. John J. Lawrence, whose activities in medical affairs had extended throughout the country and won him a national reputation, died from a stroke of paralysis on Sunday in his home, at No. 1080 Fifth avenue.

Born in North Carolina seventy-three years ago, Dr. Lawrence was educated in various medical colleges and won many degrees. He devoted himself to the practice of his profession immediately after graduation and also busied himself with the invention of preparations designed for the preservation of health.

At the outbreak of the Civil War he sacrificed his business interests to go into the service and fought throughout the conflict, attaining the rank of captain. After the war he resumed his practice and soon afterward became identified with medical publications.

Much of his time was spent in St. Louis, where he became the proprietor and publisher of the Medical Brief, and he was also a contributor to other medical journals. He accumulated a fortune through his practice and the preparations he put forth and later invested in real estate with equal prosperity. He retired from active work two years ago.

Dr. Lawrence is survived only by a widow, who accompanied his body to St. Louis, where burial will take place.

NEARBY NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD.

The home of Mr. Will Felton, in Edgecombe county, was destroyed by fire early Wednesday morning.

Robert Evans, who escaped Monday from the road force in Edgecombe county, was caught near his home in Pitt county Wednesday.

Clerk J. A. Weddell, of Farrow's is preparing to advertise for bids on \$50,000 of town bonds, the same to bear 5 per cent. interest.

Sunday night negroes attempted to break into the Farmers and Merchants Bank, of Kingston, but the attempt was frustrated.

The State of New York will erect a monument in New Bern to the soldiers of the Empire State buried in the National Cemetery, according to a recent bill introduced in the New York legislature.

Captain Huget inspected the First Coast Artillery, of New Bern, Wednesday night.

Wall street may conclude to observe March 23 as a holiday—the day on which Theodore steams away to confront the dutiful lions.

SICK HEADACHE.

Sour Stomach, Heartburn, Canker Sore Mouth Cured by MI-O-NA.

Sick headaches are caused by indigestion and a general disturbed condition of the stomach.

Cure the indigestion, and the headache, nausea, heartburn, sour stomach, and that "all in" feeling will vanish.

MI-O-NA tablets will cure indigestion or any other stomach trouble. They will relieve almost instantly. J. H. Hill & Son have so much faith in them that they will give you your money back if they don't.

MI-O-NA cures by making the stomach strong enough to produce enough gastric juices to digest all the food you want to eat. It promptly puts new life and energy into the overworked and played-out walls of the stomach.

Use MI-O-NA for a week, and you can eat what you want any time you want it, and take pleasure in doing it.

Your blood will be richer, redder, purer after taking MI-O-NA, and it only costs 50 cents a large box.

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Special sales on Lace Curtains, Window Shades and Hall Curtains at Andrews & Waddell Furniture Co.

OUR NEW UNION PASSENGER DEPOT

Unsurpassed in Beauty, Anywhere in North Carolina.

FOR A BETTER APPROACH

Aldermen to Meet 'To-Morrow Night to Consider Proposition to Pave Walnut Street to Station.

Goldsboro's new union passenger station is now ready for occupancy, and it is indeed "a thing of beauty." The furniture has all been placed in position; the telegraph, telephone and electric light wires connected up, and last night the lights were turned on to test the service and, really, it was pride-arousing and splendid to look at.

A gentleman looking at it and over it and through it who has traveled much, said: "I have seen, of course, larger passenger stations, but I have never seen one anywhere in the State, and few anywhere at all, more artistically proportioned in its architectural design or more beautiful in its interior finishings."

"This station," said he, "would attract attention even in Europe, where people are reared in an atmosphere of art. It may be a larger depot than Goldsboro really needs today, but if the board of aldermen will just complete the paving of Walnut street to the station, that affords one of the most beautiful and impressive city views I have ever looked upon, it will so strike the traveling public and hold their admiration that the praises of Goldsboro's progressive spirit and development will resound throughout the State and beyond her borders, proving of inestimable value in attracting capital for investment and desirable citizens."

"With that street paved it is safe to predict that in five years from now the population of Goldsboro will be doubled and the volume of her business, wholesale and retail, quadrupled, and factories occupying every available site, and instead of this station being too large, you will hear talk of 'enlarging it to meet the passenger traffic demand of that day.'"

The board of aldermen meet tomorrow night for the purpose of taking action on this paving proposition.

Death of Mrs. Alston.

Mrs. Mary E. Alston a native of Halifax county, died at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. P. B. Parker, in Berkley, Va., Wednesday, March 10, aged 86 years.

Mrs. Alston was a daughter of the late Governor Burton, of North Carolina, and was esteemed and beloved by a large circle of relatives and friends. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. P. B. Parker, of Berkley, Va., and three sons, Messrs. J. P. Alston, of Smithfield, Va.; T. P. Alston, Carrollton, Va., and L. M. Alston, of Raleigh.

She was a granddaughter of the late Wiley Jones, of Revolutionary fame, and her people have been prominent in the history of North Carolina for generations.

It was at the home of Mrs. Alston's granddaughter, Willie Jones, who lived at the "Grove House," at Halifax, that John Paul visited. He added: Jones to his name after this visit and became celebrated as John Paul Jones, the first great naval hero.

To Celebrate Liberty Point Declaration.

The Liberty Point Monument Committee of the Woman's Civic Improvement Association, of which Mrs. S. G. Ayer, is head, are making preparations for a big celebration of the signing of the Liberty Point Declaration of Independence. June 29 was the date of the signing of this historic document, but as that date falls on Sunday, the celebration will be held Monday, June 21.—Fayetteville Observer.

Judge Lyon Will Preside at April Term of Court.

Judge C. C. Lyon, of Elizabethtown, will preside at the Superior Court which will be held here for two weeks beginning April 6.

Merrimac Volunteer Dies.

Norfolk, Va., March 17.—Benjamin A. Richardson, aged 75 years, one of the few survivors of the twenty-five United Artillerymen who volunteered under Captain Kevell, of Norfolk, and participated on the Virginia (Merrimac) in both engagements between that vessel and the Monitor in Hampton Roads during the Civil War, died at his home here last night from general break-down and infirmity.

WITH OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Items of Interest Gathered from Every Section of Wayne.

CAKLAND ITEMS.

Our farmers are busy now preparing for planting.

Mr. and Mrs. George Massey, of Sugar Hill, attended church here Sunday and were the guests of Mr. David Smith for dinner.

Mr. W. J. Perkins, of this section spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Perkins.

Mrs. W. R. Fall, of Four Branches, has hatched out 117 young chickens since Monday.

Mr. George Perry, of Princeton, was in this section on business Tuesday.

Mr. John A. Sasser was through our section Thursday, taking orders for tobacco plants.

Mr. Luby Smith was the guest of Miss Agnes Worley Tuesday night.

Mr. H. R. Johnston returned to Princeton today from Four Branches, where he has finished brickwork for Mr. J. Perkins.

Two young men of this section, while on their way to Ebenezer Thursday night came in contact with a stump, turning their buggy over and throwing both out. No damage was done except one of them received a bruise on the knee.

Mr. Demott Worley and Mr. Myrtle Lynch, of this section, were visiting near Smithfield Sunday.

Mr. Chester Smith, from near Ebenezer, was a visitor in our community last Sunday, at the home of Mr. Geo. W. Worley.

Mr. Andrew Holloman, of Four Branches, caught a sea pike Tuesday night at Cox Ferry bridge weighing about 10 pounds.

Mrs. Sue Bridgers will fill her regular appointment at Oakley Sunday.

Miss Bertie Brown of Goldsboro, is the guest of Mrs. J. W. Massey this week.

Mr. J. W. Hines, of near Four Branches, is hauling his fertilizer from Whitley Crossing this week.

Mrs. Alkie Massey and Miss Bertie Brown, of Sugar Hill, were visitors at Princeton Sunday.

Two young men from Goldsboro arrived at Four Branches this evening for the purpose of covering Mr. W. J. Perkins' house.

Miss Janie Toler, of Princeton High School, made a visit to her home here Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. George Worley went to Princeton Tuesday on business. G. G. F.

BEAR MARSH.

Misses Annie and Mabel Grady left Thursday of last week for Oakley, N. C., where they will spend some time visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. Loren Wilson and her two children, Master Leonard and little Miss Lora Lemuel, visited the former's sister, Mrs. Brown Winders, at Warsaw, last Saturday night, and reports a very pleasant trip.

Miss Vera Holland is spending some time with friends and relatives in Price Town.

Mrs. Hepsy Davis, wife of the late George Davis, deceased, who has been spending some time with the family of her husband's brother, Mr. B. D. Davis, left for her home Saturday morning.

Mrs. Winnie Stroud returned from Durham, N. C., a few days ago, where she has been for some time, visiting her brother, Mr. Thomas Stroud and family.

Thursday of last week the little son of Mr. Charles Noblin had a narrow escape from death, by drinking water from a cup containing potash.

SEVEN SPRINGS.

Mrs. Emily A. Grady, who has been blind and helpless for many years, and son, Mr. Bennie Grady, visited at the home of Mrs. Grady's daughter last Saturday night and Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Bonnie Rich, whose music was made by Mr. Obb Williamson's phonograph in honor of Mrs. Grady.

Mr. and Mrs. Bonnie Rich and daughter, little Miss Margaret, of near Rhoad's Chapel, visited relatives in this section last Sunday evening.

Mr. Julius C. Barwick, one of our popular young farmers, and Miss Carrie Grady, a popular young lady in near Dudley, were happily united in the holy bonds of wedlock Sunday afternoon at 6:30 o'clock at the home of the groom's mother, Mrs. Mary E. Barwick. The marriage was a runaway. After the ceremony, which was performed by Mack Williams, Esq., the happy young couple drove to the home of the groom, where they have entered upon the pleasant duties of housekeeping, with the good wishes of many friends for a long life, joy and happiness.

Mrs. Martha Griffin, of near Seven Springs, visited her daughter, Mrs. John Ralfeard, of near Rhoad's Chapel, last Sunday, returning home Monday, and while on her way home paid Mrs. Emily A. Grady, of this section, a very pleasant visit.

Ingratitude is the world's reward.

UNT OLIVE BUDGET.

H. G. Williamson has organized a new real estate firm in our town.

This firm will make a specialty of buying and selling real estate in this section.

The barn and stables of Mrs. Cheney, just beyond the graded school building, were destroyed by fire Tuesday night. The fire was discovered about 9:30 o'clock, and its origin is unknown. A small quantity of feed stuff was also burned. By heroic work two horses and several head of cattle were rescued from the stables without injury. The loss on the building and contents is about \$200, partly insured.

His relatives here received a telegram Tuesday bearing the pleasing information that Furlie F. Manley, who was operated on at St. Luke's Hospital, in Richmond, Monday, had passed successfully through the critical ordeal, and that he would soon be restored to his wonted health and strength.

His host of friends will be glad to learn that Mr. Robert J. Oliver, who underwent an operation for appendicitis at St. Luke's Hospital, Richmond, last Sunday afternoon, is doing nicely, and will soon be able to return to his home here. The operation was entirely successful. Mr. Oliver was accompanied to Richmond Saturday night by Dr. L. W. Kornegay, who returned Monday morning.

The LaGrange field, consisting of our churches at LaGrange, Seven Springs, New Hope, and Sandy Bottom, has secured as pastor, Rev. A. M. Burleson, formerly of Hamlet. Brother Burleson began work last Sunday. We hope the churches in that important field will be largely built up under his earnest ministry.—Biblical Recorder.

Mr. J. M. Spencer, who suffered a stroke of paralysis recently, died Thursday at his home in New Bern, aged 55 years.

PRIME BEEF CATTLE.

Some of the Finest Animals Ever Shipped Out of the State Raised on State Farm Near Statesville.

Statesville, N. C., March 18.—Five or six carloads of beef cattle, which are probably the finest lot ever shipped out of North Carolina, were loaded at Statesville yesterday and shipped to dealers at Richmond, Va. Three carloads of the cattle were shipped by Mr. F. T. Meacham, superintendent of the State farm near Statesville, and to John Redman, of Richmond.

About all of this lot are of the short-horn stock, very fine specimens of beef cattle and brought a fancy price. While most of them were fed by the State farm, some of them were fed by farmers in the county under the direction of Superintendent Meacham.

Besides the lot shipped by Mr. Meacham the Henkel Livestock Company shipped two or three carloads of the same point. These were fed at the Henkel Company's farm near town and have attracted considerable attention. While they are larger cattle than those fed at the State farm, they will make no better beef. It is believed that two or three of the largest steers in the Henkel lot will tip the scales at 1,800 pounds each.

Death of Mr. P. G. Kinlaw.

Mr. P. G. Kinlaw, a native of Robeson county, died at the home of his mother in Fayetteville, Tuesday morning. He was a Confederate veteran.

Surviving are the following brothers and sisters: Messrs. J. K. Lumberston; Milton, Hope Mills; Condry, Bladen county; R. W. Dunn; Ira W., and P. C. Fayetteville; Mrs. H. W. Flowers, of Rowland; Mrs. M. W. Davis and Mrs. H. E. King, of Fayetteville.

The Coming Change in Building Construction.

People will no doubt continue to risk their lives in buildings already established, but the time is coming, according to Cement Age (New York), when every person whose duties compel him or her to work or live many stories above ground will make careful inquiry as to the fireproof features of a structure. The fact that it is possible to construct a practically fireproof building will be followed by the demand that all structures be of that type. If municipal laws do not compel the owners of such structures will advertise the fact that they are safe, and this in itself will have a pronounced influence in bringing about radical changes in modern methods of construction.

One of the most marvelous exhibits ever attempted in the Department of Fisheries will be shown at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition, when the peculiar illusion of live birds, flitting about among swimming fishes and other animal water life, will be produced. The strange effect is arrived at by cleverly inserting large jars, inverted, in the bottom of the aquariums, and in these jars the various birds will be allowed to fly about at will.

\$10,000 FIRE AT FREMONT THURSDAY

Store and Contents of P. E. Peacock Destroyed by Serious Blaze.

FREMONT BANK DAMAGED

By Heroic Effort Citizens Saved Bank Building, Jarman Hotel and Store of J. R. Short.

Fire of an unknown origin Thursday morning at Fremont destroyed Mr. R. E. Peacock's store and contents, damaged the Bank of Fremont, the Jarman Hotel and the store of Mr. J. R. Short. The fire was discovered about 6 o'clock and all efforts to save the burning building were futile. By heroic efforts the citizens prevented the flames from spreading to nearby buildings. The loss is estimated at about \$10,000, divided as follows:

Store and contents of Mr. Peacock, \$8,000. Insured for \$6,000.

Jarman Hotel, \$1,000. Insured for \$2,500.

Bank of Fremont, \$500 by water and fire. Insured for \$1,200.

Store of J. R. Short, \$500. Insured.

The Fire in Detail.

The citizens of Fremont were aroused early in the morning by alarm of fire which appeared to have originated in the rear of Mr. Peacock's store. The flames had gained such headway that the residents were unable to check the blaze and concentrated their efforts upon saving the adjoining buildings, the Bank of Fremont, the Jarman Hotel and the store of J. R. Short. It was due to their untiring efforts that these buildings were saved, although partly damaged.

The business of Mr. Peacock has been in the hands of Messrs. J. T. Hooks and E. C. Cobb, who were appointed assignees several days ago.

Bank Doing Business As Usual.

The Bank of Fremont did business as usual today, and will continue uninterrupted by the damage to the building.

Damaged by Fire.

The building most seriously damaged by the fire was the Jarman Hotel, the loss on which will amount to \$1,000. The store of Mr. Short, across the street from the Peacock store, was damaged to the amount of \$500.

Insurance Carried by Local Company.

The Goldsboro Insurance and Realty Company carried insurance on the property damaged to the extent of \$9,700, \$3,500 on stock in Mr. Peacock's store and \$2,500 on this building; \$1,200 on Bank of Fremont and \$2,500 on the Jarman Hotel.

Accepts Position Here.

Mr. R. L. Adams, who has been day clerk at the Gaston Hotel, New Bern, arrived here yesterday to accept a position at the Kennon Hotel. He will have charge of the cigars and news stand at The Kennon. Mr. C. F. Griffin, formerly in charge, having resigned to go into other employment.

Dr. Hyatt Coming.

Dr. H. O. Hyatt will be in Goldsboro at Hotel Kennon from 12 m. to 5 p. m. Monday to Wednesday, March 29th to 31st, for the purpose of treating diseases of the eye and fitting glasses. Parties wanting work done will be charged no fee unless terms are agreed upon.

SHIPPED SIXTY-FOUR CRATES ONIONS TO NORTHERN MARKETS

Mr. W. V. Williams Made Shipment Tuesday of Large Output From His Garden.

Mr. W. V. Williams, proprietor of the City Pharmacy, shipped yesterday to New York, Boston and Philadelphia sixty-four crates of onions, which were raised in his garden. The onions are of a special variety and will undoubtedly bring good prices at these Northern markets.

Cleared \$106.30 From Recent Concert.

The ladies of St. Paul Methodist Church have received all the returns from the recent cantata, "Cradle Songs of Many Nations." The net amount raised from the presentation of this play was \$106.30.

The Young Women's Christian Association has actively undertaken the matter of protection for young women visiting the city during the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition, and extensive preparations are going forward for the care and comfort of young women visitors during the summer months.